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# Community CONNECTION

2016 WHITTIER UNINCORPORATED COMMUNITY RESOURCE GUIDE

## *The New* **Liberty Community Plaza** *Opens its Doors* to the Community



# Welcome / Community Updates

## BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

**Don Knabe**

Supervisor, Fourth District



Dear Community Member,

Inside this edition of the Community Connection you will find important information that can help you prepare for El Nino (page 11) and connect you with other important services and resources the County offers. You are encouraged to drop by and visit the newly dedicated Liberty Community Plaza, where there is a fitting tribute to our local military veterans, community programs, access to resources and outdoor spaces for everyone. Two new libraries are in the works and will replace the South Whittier Library and Los Nietos Library at new locations to accommodate larger facilities (page 9). Do you, or do you know someone, that has a connection to local history in the Whittier Unincorporated Area? The County is collecting information to include in the Whittier Unincorporated History Project and welcomes your input. On page 3 read how you can share your personal local history with us. Explore what the County can do for you and *stay connected!*

## Your County and Community Leadership

The Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors serves as your "City Council." Contact your County Supervisor's Office should you have a County-related issue or concern.

**Field Office • (562) 807-7350**

12720 S. Norwalk Boulevard • Norwalk, CA 90605

**The following organizations focus on improving your community.**

**Mayberry MASH** (More Advocates for Safe Homes)

Meets: 2nd Wednesday of each month.

Community Resource Center • Rosalia Contreras at **(562) 946-2425**

**Los Nietos MASH**

Meets: 3rd Thursday of every other month at 6:00 p.m.

Los Nietos Community and Senior Center • Suzan Alvarado at **(562) 699-9898** • [lnmashgroup@gmail.com](mailto:lnmashgroup@gmail.com)

**West Whittier Community Advisory Committee**

Pico Rivera Station **(562) 949-2421** or Becky Silva at **(562) 908-2012**

Meets: 1st Tuesday on even numbered months at Sorensen Park at 6:30 p.m.

**South Whittier Community Advisory Committee**

Norwalk Station **(562) 863-8711** or Ronnie Gran at **(562) 903-1874**

Meets: 3rd Tuesday on odd numbered months at Liberty Community Plaza at 6:30 p.m.

## Veterans Freedom Garden

### Liberty Community Plaza

Los Angeles County Arts Commission

Artist: Susan Narduli, Civic Art Program

[www.lacountyarts.org](http://www.lacountyarts.org)

Artist Susan Narduli was selected to design a tribute to local military veterans as part of the County Civic Art Program for the Liberty Community Plaza, aptly named the "Veterans Freedom Garden." The project was selected based on the community's feedback and desire to honor local veterans. On the

dedication wall, bronze medallions, bearing the seal of each U.S. military branch, were placed

alongside the words of the enlistment oath. Also included in the wall are spaces to insert red poppies, a symbol of wartime remembrance. Rows of Ginkgo trees mark the passage of time with each season. New leaves appearing on the bare branches are meant to suggest a sense of renewal and hope. The rose garden, a symbol of remembrance, draws birds and

butterflies to the site. Throughout the garden, benches with polished surfaces capture the reflection of the surroundings. Local veterans and their families participated in a touching ceremony to dedicate this special area. Visitors can take rubbings of the names of their loved ones on memorial bricks with the names of military veterans inscribed along the "Walk of Honor" dedicated to those who have served our nation.



# Community Updates



Lobby

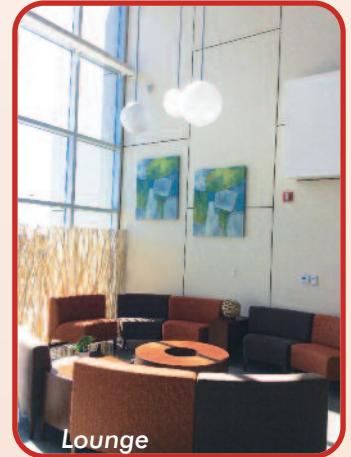
## Liberty Community Plaza Opens its Doors to the Public

14181 Telegraph Road, Whittier  
(562) 273-0722

On June 20, 2015, a dedication ceremony was held to celebrate the completion of the Liberty Community Plaza in South Whittier. County officials, residents and local military veterans joined together to dedicate the 20,600 square foot facility. The new center is located on property that was formerly part of the Sheriff's Training Center (STARS Center). Construction for

Liberty Community Plaza began in February of 2014 and was managed by the Community Development Commission of the County of Los Angeles.

Funded by the Board of Supervisors, the Liberty Community Plaza project was initiated to support local families through counseling services and offer recreational opportunities and community space. In response to community feedback received during the planning phase, the new \$19 million facility includes community meeting spaces, banquet space with a fully-equipped sound system for events and community gatherings, a health and wellness room for dance and fitness classes; an arts and crafts room for recreational classes; a military veteran resource room; an outdoor amphitheater for performances and movie screenings, and a multi-purpose field that includes exercise equipment so that parents can keep an eye on their children in the playground while exercising. Recreational and arts programs are held for free and open to the public (see pages 4 and 5).



Lounge



Banquet facility

The proprietor of the property, Helpline Youth Counseling (HYC), is a non-profit agency that will serve the community through counseling services for youth and families. Liberty Plaza will also be home to the HYC Teen Center which includes a lounge area and small classroom space where adolescents will have the opportunity to work on homework, participate in recreational activities, and receive tutoring and academic support.



Recreational Area

## ❧ WHITTIER UNINCORPORATED HERITAGE PROJECT ❧

Did you know that the Whittier Unincorporated Area has a rich history? Much has been written on some of the pioneers of the area, and there is more to explore. The County of Los Angeles will be gathering local history to include in the County's website. Included will be historical maps and photos, information on notable residents, and interviews with local community members and military veterans. You can participate by contributing copies of your old photos, documents, and personal history. Download a personal history form at [ceo.lacounty.gov/ouas](http://ceo.lacounty.gov/ouas), or pick one up at your local County Public Library (Los Nietos, Sorensen or South Whittier) or Liberty Community Plaza. Watch for a "History Hunter" event near you where oral interviews will be conducted and recorded, and personal history and photos will be collected. For more information, contact (213) 974-1740 or email [therzog@ceo.lacounty.gov](mailto:therzog@ceo.lacounty.gov).

# Parks and Recreation



[www.lacountyparks.org](http://www.lacountyparks.org)

## Recreation Programs Offered at

### Adventure Park

10130 S. Gunn Avenue  
Whittier, CA 90605  
(562) 698-7645

### Mayberry Park

13201 E. Meyer Road  
Whittier, CA 90605  
(562) 944-9727

### Amigo Park

5700 Juarez Avenue  
Whittier, CA 90606  
(562) 908-4702

### Sorensen Park

11419 Rosehedge Drive  
Whittier, CA 90606  
(562) 908-7763

### Liberty Community Plaza

14181 Telegraph Road • Whittier, CA 90604  
(562) 273-0700

### Los Nietos Community and Senior Center (LNCSC)

Community and Senior Services  
11640 E. Slauson Avenue, Whittier, CA 90606  
(562) 699-9898



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## Adult & Family Recreation Programs

*Programs are subject to change.  
Contact the facility for program details.*

PROGRAM	AGE	SEASON	DAY	TIME	FACILITY	FEE
Adult Sports Modification Program	18 yrs. +	Through June 2016	Tuesdays & Thursdays	10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.	Adventure	No charge
Aerobics	18 yrs. +	Year-round	Mondays, Wednesdays & Thursdays Monday - Friday	6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.	LNCSC Mayberry	No charge
Aztec Dance	All ages	Year-round	Mondays & Thursdays	7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.	LNCSC	No charge
Aztec Dance- Regalia (costume making)	5 yrs. + 18 yrs. +		Sundays	11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.	Mayberry	Must provide own supplies.
			Wednesdays	6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.	LNCSC	
Begonia Society	18 yrs. +	Year-round	2nd Saturday of each month	11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.	Adventure	Must provide own supplies.
Coin Club	All ages	Year-round	Every 1st Thursday	5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.	LNCSC	No charge (exchange and collector group)
English as a Second Language Class	18 yrs. +	Year-round	Mondays & Wednesdays	6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.	Mayberry	No charge
Exercise Room	All ages	Year-round	Monday - Friday	8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.	LNCSC	No charge
Folklorico Dance	All ages	Year-round	Tuesdays Wednesdays	3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.	Adventure LNCSC	\$5 per class No charge
Line Dance	18 yrs. +	Year-round	Mondays	10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.	Adventure	No charge
Women's Softball	18 yrs. +	Season begins once roster is full	Tuesdays	6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.	Mayberry	\$350 per team registration
Women's Volleyball	18 yrs. +	Season begins once roster is full	Thursdays	6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.	Mayberry	\$350 per team registration
Woodworkers of Whittier	18 yrs. +	Year-round	Every 2nd Thursday	6:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.	Adventure	No charge
Yoga	18 yrs. +	Year-round	Mondays	9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.	Adventure	No charge
Zumba (Fitness Dance)	18 yrs. + All ages	Sept.-June	Wednesdays Saturdays	9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.	Adventure Liberty Community Plaza	\$5 per class No charge
	18 yrs. + 18 yrs. +	Year-round	Saturdays Mondays, Tuesdays, & Fridays	8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.	Sorensen Sorensen	\$3 per class \$3 per class

# Parks and Recreation

## Youth Recreation & Sports Programs

*Programs are subject to change.  
Contact the facility for program details.*

PROGRAM	AGE	SEASON	DAY	TIME	FACILITY	FEE
After School Programs	6-12 years	September - June	Monday - Friday	2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.	Adventure	\$25 per week
		August - June		3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.	Amigo	No charge
		September - June		2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.	Mayberry	\$25 per month
		August - June		2:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.	Sorensen	\$70 per month
Arts and Crafts	8-14 years	Year-round	Tuesdays	4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.	Liberty Community Plaza	No charge
Baseball/Tee Ball	3-15 years	June - August	Monday - Friday	5:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.	Sorensen	\$80 per season
Basketball	3-15 years	February - May	Monday - Friday	5:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.	Mayberry	\$80 per season
	5-17 years	Seasonal	Monday - Saturday	5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.	Sorensen	\$75 per season
Cheerleading <i>Registration starts in August 2016</i>	5-14 years	Aug. 2016 - Jan. 2017	Tuesday - Thursday	6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.	Mayberry	\$35 plus cost of uniform
	4-17 years	Sept. 2016-Jan. 2017			Sorensen	\$55 plus cost of uniform
Flag Football	3-15 years	Sept - Dec. 2016	Monday - Saturday	5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.	Sorensen	\$80 per season
Karate Class	4 yrs & up	Through June 2016	Tuesday & Thursday	5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.	Mayberry	\$35 per month
Kids 'n Sports	5-17 years	Seasonal	Monday - Friday	5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.	Adventure	\$75 per season
			Saturdays	9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.		
Open Recreation	6-18 years	Year-round	Saturdays	1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.	Amigo	No charge
Snack Programs	1-18 years	Year-round	Monday - Friday	3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.	Adventure	No charge
	2-17 years			3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.	Amigo	
	1-18 years			3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.	Mayberry	
	1-18 years			3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.	Sorensen	
Softball (Girls)	8-16 years	June - August	Monday - Friday	5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.	Sorensen	\$80 per season
Summer Day Camps	6-12 years	June - August	Monday - Friday	8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.	Amigo	No charge
	6-12 years	June - August		7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.	Adventure	No charge
	6-12 years	July - August		7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.	Mayberry	\$250 per month
	6-12 years	July - August		7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.	Sorensen	\$250 per month
Summer Lunch	18 years & under	July - August	Monday - Friday	12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.	Amigo	No charge
				11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.	Adventure	
				11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.	Mayberry	
				12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.	Sorensen	
Summer Snack Program	18 years & under	July - August	Monday - Friday	3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.	Mayberry	No charge
Teen Programs	13-17 years	Through June 2016	Mondays	6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.	Adventure	No charge
	12-18 years	Year-round	Fridays	4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.	Amigo	
Tiny Tots	3-5 years	September - May	Tuesday - Thursday	9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.	Adventure	\$60 per month
	3-5 years	Year-round	Mon., Wed., Fri.	9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.	Amigo	No charge
	4-5 years	September - June	Tuesday - Friday	9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.	Mayberry	\$60 per month
	3-5 years	September - June	Monday - Friday	9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. 12:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.	Sorensen	\$80 per month (must be potty trained)
Toy Loan Programs	5-12 years	Year-round	Fridays	4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.	Adventure	No charge
	6-12 years		Fridays	3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.	Amigo	
	2-16 years		Wednesdays	2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.	LNCSC	
	3-12 years		Fridays	10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.	Mayberry	
Zumba for Kids	4-12 years	Year-round	Wednesdays	4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.	Liberty Community Plaza	No charge



# Parks and Recreation



## 2016 Special Events - All Events are FREE

*Programs are subject to change.  
Contact the facility for program details.*

PROGRAM	DATE	TIME	FACILITY
Flea Market	Every 1st Tuesday of each month	9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	Adventure
Food Truck Night	Every 1st Thursday of each month	5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.	Liberty Community Plaza
Easter Program	Saturday, March 19, 2016	12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.	Mayberry
Easter Egg Hunt	March 2016 - Date TBA	10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.	Sorensen
Mother's Day Fiesta	May 2016 - Date TBA	1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Amigo
Memorial Day Ceremony	Monday, May 30, 2016	TBA	Liberty Community Plaza
Father's Day Craft	June 2016 - Date TBA	12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.	Amigo
Summer Concerts in the Park	July 14, 21, 28 & August 4, 2016 August 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30, 2016	TBA 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.	Mayberry Adventure
National Night Out	Tuesday, August 2, 2016	5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.	Mayberry
Educate and Celebrate Festival	August 2016 - Date TBA	10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Adventure
Knabe Katch Fishing Derby	October 2016 - Date TBA	7:00 a.m.	La Mirada Park Lake
Halloween Candy Maze	October 2016 - Date TBA	5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.	Mayberry
Halloween Haunt	Monday, October 31, 2016	5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.	Sorensen
Veterans Day Ceremony	Friday, November 11, 2016	TBA	Liberty Community Plaza
Thanksgiving Luncheon	Thursday, November 17, 2016	12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.	Amigo
Thanksgiving Community Dinner	Tuesday, November 22, 2016	2:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.	Adventure Sorensen
Breakfast with Santa	December 2016 Dates TBA	10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.	Sorensen
Here Comes Santa	December 2016 Date TBA	6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.	Adventure Amigo Mayberry



## Puente Hills Habitat Preservation Authority

*Endowment provided by the Puente Hills Landfill*

[www.HabitatAuthority.org](http://www.HabitatAuthority.org) • (562) 945-9003

Enjoy the serene setting of the Puente Hills Preserve by joining the monthly naturalist-guided hikes every third Saturday of each month. Leashed dogs are also welcome on some trails. Sign up at [www.meetup.com/Puente-Hills-Preserve-Hikers](http://www.meetup.com/Puente-Hills-Preserve-Hikers) to receive updates on upcoming hikes, view the activity calendar, and find trailhead locations.

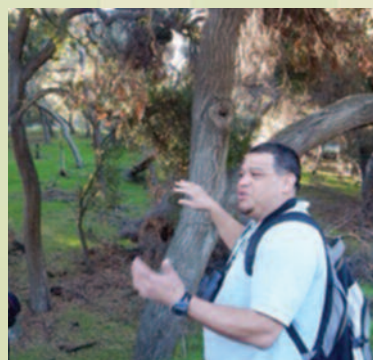
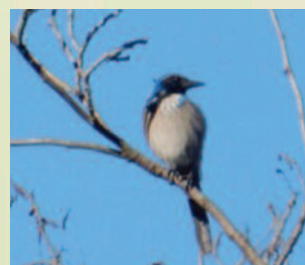
### Native Plant, Native Uses Hike

**Saturday, February 20, 2016  
9:00 a.m.**

#### Sycamore Canyon Trailhead, Whittier

Join this guided moderate 3 mile hike and follow the footsteps of

local native people through Sycamore Canyon onto the beautiful Rattlesnake Ridge trail. No Dogs. In the event of rain, the hike will be cancelled.



# Senior Programs



## Senior Programs

**Los Nietos Community and Senior Center (LNCSC)**  
Community and Senior Services  
11640 E. Slauson Avenue  
Whittier, CA 90606  
(562) 699-9898

**Adventure Park**  
10130 S. Gunn Avenue  
Whittier, CA 90605  
(562) 698-7645

**Mayberry Park**  
13201 E. Meyer Road  
Whittier, CA 90605  
(562) 944-9727

**Sorensen Park**  
11419 Rosehedge Drive  
Whittier, CA 90606  
(562) 908-7763

*Programs are subject to change. Contact the facility for program details.*

PROGRAM	DAY	TIME	FACILITY
Bingo	Tuesday - Thursday Fridays	12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. 10:45 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.	Mayberry Adventure
Birthday Celebrations	3rd Monday of each month Wednesdays	11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.	LNCSC Mayberry
Chair Aerobics	Monday - Friday	11:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.	Mayberry
Crochet	Thursdays	9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.	LNCSC
Dances	(New Years, Valentine's Day, Easter, Mother's Day, Father's Day, 4th of July and Halloween)	Call for dates and time	LNCSC
Exercise Class	Mondays	10:45 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.	Adventure
Gardening	Monday - Friday	10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.	Mayberry
Guitar Class	Tuesday - Thursday	1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.	Mayberry
Intro to Computers	Mondays & Tuesdays	10:30 a.m. to 12:00 a.m.	Mayberry
Karaoke	Mondays Fridays	12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.	LNCSC Mayberry
Legal Services (Bet Tzedek)	Every other month	Call for dates and appointment.	LNCSC
Sewing	Monday - Wednesday	1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.	Mayberry
Tai Chi/Walking Club	Mondays & Wednesdays	10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.	Adventure
Walking Club	Wednesdays	10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.	LNCSC
<b>SENIOR CLUBS</b>			
Adventure Park Senior Club	Fridays	10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.	Adventure
Club Cultural Pan Americano	4th Sunday of each month	12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.	LNCSC
Jerome Verde Valley Club	3rd Saturday of each month	12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.	LNCSC
John F. Kennedy Club	2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month	1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.	LNCSC
<b>SENIOR LUNCH PROGRAMS</b>			
Southeast Area Social Services Funding Authority (SASSFA) Optional donation: \$2.75	Monday - Friday	11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.	Adventure
		11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.	LNCSC
		12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.	Mayberry



# Community Services

## Community Resource Center (CRC)

### Community Development Commission

[swcrc.lacdc.org](http://swcrc.lacdc.org) • (562) 946-2425

10750 Laurel Avenue, Whittier, CA 90605

Monday - Thursday: 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. • Fridays: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The CRC connects residents with services and programs such as legal aid, healthcare, housing, education, computer training, childcare, special annual events and more. Call the CRC to confirm the dates and time of the programs listed below.



PROGRAMS	DAY	TIME
After-School Homework Assistance	Monday - Friday	2:15 p.m. to 5:15 p.m.
At-risk Youth Counseling/Parenting Classes (call (562) 777-0877 for schedule)	Monday - Friday	9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Chiropractic Clinic	Wednesdays & Thursdays	8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Covered California -Health Care Enrollment (call the CRC to schedule appointment)	Monday - Friday	9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Diabetes Workshop	Tuesdays	6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
English as a Second Language Class	Mondays & Wednesdays	9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
Family Law Assistance (call the CRC to schedule an appointment)	1st Thursday of each month	9:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
Hear Education, Awareness and Readiness Training (HEART) (call the CRC for session dates)	Tuesdays	6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Home Energy Assistance Program	2nd & 4th Thursday of each month	9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
Parenting Classes (parent and teen)	Dates vary-call the CRC for class dates	6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

COMPUTER CLASSES		
Basic Computer Workshop (Bilingual) (call the CRC for session dates)	Mondays	11:00 a.m. to 11:50 a.m.
Basic Computer Keyboarding	Thursdays	11:00 a.m. to 11:50 a.m.
English as a Second Language Computer Class (call the CRC for session start date)	Wednesdays	11:00 a.m. to 11:50 a.m.
Job Readiness Skills (call the CRC for session start date)	1st & 3rd Fridays	11:00 a.m. to 11:50 a.m.
Microsoft Office Class (call the CRC for session start date)	Tuesdays & Thursdays	6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

## County Loan Programs

### Community Development Commission (CDC)

(626) 262-4511 • [www.lacdc.org](http://www.lacdc.org)

CDC offers loan programs for first-time home buyers, low-income families, and business owners residing or conducting business in the Unincorporated Areas. For more information see the following information.

<b>Home Ownership Programs:</b>	Michelle Esquer	(626) 586-1838
<b>Mortgage Credit Certificate:</b>	Am Vuong	(626) 586-1839
<b>First Home Mortgage Program:</b>	Jewel Warren-Reed	(626) 586-1830
<b>Single Family Home Improvement Program:</b>	Leticia Castillo	(626) 586-1843
<b>County Business Loan Program:</b>	Rodolfo Quiroz	(626) 586-1820

## 2016 Annual Events

Health & Wellness Fair  
May 21, 2016



Art & Talent Showcase  
May 26, 2016

National Night Out  
August 2, 2016

Influenza and Pneumonia Vaccines  
October 2016 (TBD)



Holiday Food & Toy Giveaway  
December 2016



\*Registration begins October 3, 2016 for income qualified residents of the Whittier Unincorporated Area. Households must be pre-registered to participate in the event.





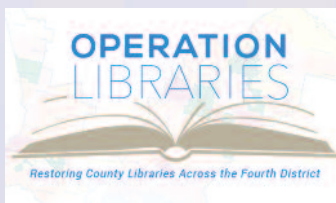
## Public Library

[www.colapublib.org](http://www.colapublib.org)

The Public Library operates three libraries that serve the Whittier Unincorporated Area. Please check with your local library for special programs and events or check the online calendar at [www.colapublib.org](http://www.colapublib.org).

For library card holders, your community libraries offer free:

- Wireless-Internet access for laptop and other devices,
- Live Homework Help-tutoring at [colapublib.org/children/tutor](http://colapublib.org/children/tutor)
- Story time for children
- Summer reading programs (June through August)
- Go Mobile-download the Public Library app to your smartphone at [www.colapublib.org/gomobile](http://www.colapublib.org/gomobile).
- Teen Clubs-at Sorensen and South Whittier Libraries
- Homework Clubs



### Plans are in the Works for a New Los Nietos Library!

**8511 Duchess Drive, Whittier**  
(Corner of Duchess Drive & Slauson Avenue)

On September 17th the community got a peek at the plans for the new Los Nietos Library. The new \$7 million structure will be almost twice as big as the old library at a total of 7,040 square feet. Through a joint use agreement between the County of Los Angeles and the Los Nietos School District, the library will be built adjacent to Los Nietos Middle School in a separate area from the campus on the corner of Slauson and Duchess Avenues. The collection will grow from 32,000 to 44,500 books and the new library will include state of the art library technologies, express-service check out machines, new public access computers, a community meeting room for public use, an outdoor portico space attached to the meeting room, protected entry space, exterior shading, and drought tolerant landscaping. Los Nietos Library will remain open until the new library opens to the public in the Summer of 2017.

## Your Local Libraries

(Closed on Sundays and Holidays)

### Los Nietos Library

Theresa Cazares, Community Library Manager  
11644 East Slauson Avenue, Whittier, CA 90606  
**(562) 695-0708**

Mondays & Tuesdays	12:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Wednesdays & Thursdays	10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Fridays & Saturdays	10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

### Sorensen Library

Charmaine Sello, Community Library Manager  
6934 Broadway Avenue, Whittier, CA 90606  
**(562) 695-3979**

Mondays & Tuesday	11:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Wednesdays & Thursdays	11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Fridays & Saturdays	11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

### South Whittier Library

Oscar Villagomez, Community Library Manager  
14433 Leffingwell Road, Whittier, CA 90604  
**(562) 946-4415**

Mondays through Wednesdays	12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Thursdays	11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Fridays & Saturdays	10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.



### Construction Starts on the New South Whittier Library

**11543 Colima Road, Whittier**  
(Corner of Colima Road & Telegraph Road)

A community celebration was held in July to commemorate the groundbreaking for the new 14,411-square-foot, \$13.3 million building which is expected to open in the Fall of 2016. Upon completion, the new 14,411 square-foot library will include an outdoor reading patio; a Children's Area and Family Place, separate teen and adult reading areas; a homework center; two group study rooms; a 100-seat community meeting room with a kitchenette; express-service checkout machines; information service pods; new public access computers. The new structure will include an environmental design that includes drought-tolerant landscaping; a solar panel system to conserve energy; new bike racks and parking for up to 61 vehicles! The new structure will be situated on land owned by the County of Los Angeles but originally assigned to the Sheriff's Department.

# Community Services

## Medical Assistance Resources

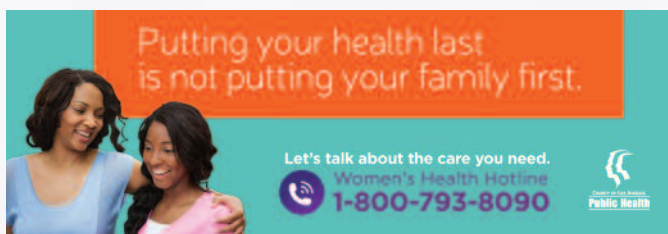
Los Angeles County Department of Public Health  
Call 2-1-1 or log on to [publichealth.lacounty.gov](http://publichealth.lacounty.gov)

**Children with Special Health Care Needs (800) 288-4584**  
[publichealth.lacounty.gov/cms/CCS.htm](http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/cms/CCS.htm)

The nearest Medical Therapy Unit is located at Washington School. For more information call **(626) 569-6480**.

**Free Check-Ups for Children and Teens (800) 993-2437**  
[publichealth.lacounty.gov/cms/chdp.htm](http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/cms/chdp.htm).

Child Health and Disability Prevention program provides free health check-ups for children and youth. The program serves children (birth to age 19 years) from low-income families, with no documentation of residency required and children (up to age 21 years) with Medi-Cal, including children in foster care.



**Women's Health Hotline (800) 793-8090**  
[publichealth.lacounty.gov/owh](http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/owh)

The Office of Women's Health operates a free multilingual Women's Health Hotline, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. This is available to all women with or without health insurance. Pap tests, mammograms and screening for other health conditions, are offered.

**Save Our Water - How YOU Can Help!**  
[www.saveourwater.com](http://www.saveourwater.com)

California is suffering from a drought so we cannot afford to waste any water. The good news is there are simple ways to reduce the amount of water that we use both inside our homes and outside. The Whittier Unincorporated area is served by several water districts (listed under "Utilities" on page 17). For more information contact your local water agency, or log onto [www.saveourwater.com](http://www.saveourwater.com).



**LA County Channel**  
[www.lacountychannel.com](http://www.lacountychannel.com)



Did you know the County of Los Angeles has its own cable channel? Whittier Unincorporated Area residents can find it through their Time Warner Cable Channel 94. Watch weekly updates, information on art and cultural destinations operated by the County, healthy living, recreational opportunities, and real life stories on recovery, wellness and more.

## Department of Animal Care and Control (ACC)

[www.animalcare.lacounty.gov](http://www.animalcare.lacounty.gov)

**Downey Animal Care Center**  
**(562) 940-6898**

11258 S. Garfield Avenue, Downey, CA 90242

Monday - Thursday: 12:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays: 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Closed Holidays



**PiP My Pet • [www.petrecognition.com](http://www.petrecognition.com)**

The free "PiP My Pet" app for iPhone and Android devices uses



facial recognition technology to re-unite lost pets with their families. When pets come into the animal care centers they are photographed and the photos are automatically uploaded to the PiP

database, and you are alerted that your pet has been found. Microchipping is available for both dogs and cats for \$15.

## Low Cost Vaccination Clinics

Weekend Low-Cost Vaccination Clinics offered every other Sunday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (check the website for scheduling). The following are prices for vaccinations offered:

Rabies: \$10	DHLPP: \$14	Tapeworm: \$15
Roundworm: \$5	Bordetella: \$15	FVRCP: \$15

## New! Mandatory Spay, Neuter and Microchipping Program for Cats

The Board of Supervisors recently approved the mandatory spaying or neutering and microchipping of cats in the Los Angeles County Unincorporated Areas. Only 1.6 percent of cats turned in to animal care centers were reunited with their owners. There will be a grace period in place to allow cat owners a chance to comply. For more information on how to take advantage of low-cost procedures offered by ACC, log on to [animalcare.lacounty.gov](http://animalcare.lacounty.gov).

**The best things in life are free!**

When you adopt a new feline friend from any LA County Shelter **the ASPCA will pay your cat adoption fees!**

Hurry to your nearest Los Angeles County animal shelter and find your Purrfect Match!



## Treasurer and Tax Collector

[ttc.lacounty.gov](http://ttc.lacounty.gov) • (213) 974-2111

The Treasurer and Tax Collector has valuable programs that may be of assistance to you or your family.

**Email Notification Service:** This service will alert subscribers by email of upcoming events such as annual property tax installment deadlines. To sign up, click on "Email Notification Service" on the department website.

**Third Party Notification Program:** Taxpayers can designate a third party (such as a friend, family member, or agency) to receive copies of past-due notices. The third party is not responsible for paying the bill, they can remind you that your property tax bill may be delinquent, so that you will remember to take action to prevent you from losing your property. Sign up in the "Secured Property Taxes" portion on the department website.

## Seniors-Beware of Scams

Los Angeles County District Attorney and the Department of Consumer and Business Affairs

[dcba.lacounty.gov](http://dcba.lacounty.gov).

[da.lacounty.gov/seniors/safe-senior-care](http://da.lacounty.gov/seniors/safe-senior-care)

(800) 593-8222

### Reverse Mortgage Scams

Reverse mortgages allow homeowners, ages 62 and older, to borrow money against the value of their homes and not pay it back until they sell the house or are deceased. Scammers ask a senior to transfer the title to them. Avoid scams!

- Be suspicious of anyone claiming that you can own a home with no down payment.
- Do not respond to unsolicited advertisements by mail or on the phone.
- Do not sign anything that you do not fully understand.
- Do not accept payment from individuals for a home you did not purchase.
- Seek out your own mortgage through a bank or financial institution.

For more information on scams that target seniors, go to the Elder Abuse/Financial Fraud pages of the District Attorney's website or contact the Los Angeles County Department of Consumer and Business Affairs at (800) 593-8222.

## El Niño

### Now is the time to prepare

Los Angeles County Prepares for  
**El Niño**  
One-Stop Online Resource Guide:  
[www.lacounty.gov/elnino](http://www.lacounty.gov/elnino)

Rainfall is expected to dramatically increase during the winter season.

### How You Can Prepare:

Register on **ALERT LA County** to have emergency notifications sent to your mobile phone and email.  
[www.lacounty.gov/emergency/alert-la](http://www.lacounty.gov/emergency/alert-la).



Download the **County's Emergency Survival Guide** and use it to keep the entire family-including pets-safe.

[www.lacounty.gov/PDF/EmergencySurvivalGuide-LowRes.pdf](http://www.lacounty.gov/PDF/EmergencySurvivalGuide-LowRes.pdf)

### Know How To Get Help

#### Road Closures

Bookmark Public Works' road closures website for quick reference.  
[www.dpw.lacounty.gov/roadclosures/](http://www.dpw.lacounty.gov/roadclosures/)

#### Sandbags

Obtain sandbags from designated locations and direct water runoff to the streets.  
[www.dpw.lacounty.gov/care/sandbags](http://www.dpw.lacounty.gov/care/sandbags)

#### Tree Safety

If you see a drought-stressed parkway/median tree in Unincorporated areas, please call **800-675-HELP (4357)**. Concerned about a tree on your property? Call a certified arborist.

#### Public Works Dispatch

Call **800-675-HELP (4357)** to report problems and hazards in Unincorporated areas of LA County.

#### Weather Conditions

Check with the National Weather Service for storm advisories.  
[www.wrh.noaa.gov/lox](http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/lox)

#### 211 LA County

Find County programs and services.  
[www.211la.org](http://www.211la.org)

## C.A.R.E

COORDINATED AGENCY RESPONSE EFFORT

[www.dpw.lacounty.gov/care/](http://www.dpw.lacounty.gov/care/)

### Other Resources

LA County Fire Department  
[www.fire.lacounty.gov](http://www.fire.lacounty.gov)

Flood, Debris, and Erosion Control  
[www.ladpw.org/wmd/HomeOwners/](http://www.ladpw.org/wmd/HomeOwners/)

Sand Bag Distribution Locations  
[www.dpw.lacounty.gov/care/sandbags](http://www.dpw.lacounty.gov/care/sandbags)

### Public Works Dispatch Center

Please call **800-675-HELP (4357)** to report urgent issues in unincorporated areas and contract cities.

### Southern California Edison

[www.sce.com/wps/portal/home/safety/family/outdoor-tips](http://www.sce.com/wps/portal/home/safety/family/outdoor-tips)

### Follow us on Twitter:

@CountyofLA  
@LACoFDPIO  
@dpwCARE  
@LAPublicWorks  
#LARain

### Create an emergency kit including the following items:

- Food and water to last three days to a week. Don't forget the pets.
- First aid kit and manual
- Flashlights (and extra batteries)
- Radio (and extra batteries)
- Medications (over-the-counter and prescription)
- Cash and important documents
- Clothing and sturdy shoes
- Tools (wrench, duct tape, fire extinguisher, sturdy gloves, whistle)
- Sanitation and hygiene supplies



# Public Safety

## Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department

[www.lasd.org](http://www.lasd.org)

**Dial 9-1-1 for Emergencies!**

**Local stations serving your community:**



### Norwalk Station

(serving Unincorporated South and East Whittier)  
12335 Civic Center Drive, Norwalk, CA 90650  
**(562) 863-8711**

### Whittier County Community Substation

13525 Telegraph Road, Unit B,  
Whittier, CA 90670  
**(562) 903-1874**

### Pico Rivera Station

(serving Unincorporated West Whittier-Los Nietos)  
6631 Passons Boulevard, Pico Rivera, CA 90660  
**(562) 949-2421**

## Neighborhood Watch Group

Learn more about how to keep your neighborhood safe. For information on a Neighborhood Watch group near you, contact the Whittier County Substation at **(562) 903-1874** or your local station.

## Seniors and Friends Everyday (S.A.F.E.) Program

This program was created to help senior citizens that live in the Whittier Unincorporated Area feel more secure at home. Phone calls are made to determine their well-being. For more information call the Substation at **(562) 903-1874**.

## Youth Athletic League (YAL)

The YAL provides activities for local youth between the ages of 8-17. Programs include after school tutoring, boxing, field trips, and other activities. For more information, if you live in East Whittier or South Whittier, contact Deputy Susana Rosales at **(562) 941-6901**. For West Whittier-Los Nietos, contact Deputy Saira Maradiaga, at **(562) 949-2421**.

## Explorer Program

The Explorer Program is available to young men and women between the ages of 14 to 21 who are interested in pursuing a career in law enforcement. For residents of East or South Whittier, contact Norwalk Station Deputy Frank Barragan at **(562) 466-5453** or **(562) 863-8711**. If you live in the Unincorporated Area of West Whittier-Los Nietos, contact Pico Rivera Deputy Saira Maradiaga, at **(562) 949-2421**.

## Whittier Community Advisory Councils

The Community Advisory Councils are made up of local residents who volunteer to serve as liaisons between the community and local law enforcement. If you are interested in attending the general meetings, for the East Whittier and South Whittier areas, contact Ronnie Gran at the Whittier County Substation at **(562) 903-1874**. If you reside in the West Whittier-Los Nietos area, contact Becky Silva at **(562) 908-2012** or Deputy David Zarda at **(562) 222-5558** at the Pico Rivera Station.



## New Bike Patrol Unit Will Enhance Public Safety



The Board of Supervisors recently purchased 16 especially designed and equipped bicycles to allow more patrol flexibility in the Fourth District Unincorporated Areas. In addition to increasing visibility in the community, the units will encourage more contact with the public and businesses than a patrol car. They also provide greater mobility in navigating areas of the community

where patrol vehicles cannot access. Deputies will primarily target the main arteries and business areas within the community, and target gang activity, graffiti, loitering, public alcohol consumption and other quality of life crimes which are more easily identified with the mobility advantage of being on a bicycle. Watch for the new Bike Patrol Teams around your community.

## BRAVE Classes

The Department of Parks and Recreation has partnered with your local law enforcement to provide a child safety program at parks in the Whittier Unincorporated Area. Role-playing is used to help children think about how they would react to potentially dangerous situations. For more information on upcoming sessions at Amigo, Mayberry or Sorensen Parks, contact the park, or email Deputy Francine Rizzio at [FNRizzio@lasd.org](mailto:FNRizzio@lasd.org). Watch a YouTube video at [bit.ly/1Sb6VyF](http://bit.ly/1Sb6VyF).

## Volunteers on Patrol

Volunteers on Patrol (VOPS) are community volunteers that help support the department by conducting vacation safety checks, station and sub-station office work, traffic control, assisting with sobriety check points, and much more. For more information, contact your local station.



## Los Angeles County Fire Department

Dial 9-1-1 for Emergencies!

[www.fire.lacounty.gov](http://www.fire.lacounty.gov)

Public Information (323) 881-2411



For a listing of the fire stations that serve the Whittier Unincorporated Area, see the map included on the back cover. There are many ways to receive updates, and connect with the Fire Department Division that covers your area (Division VI).

Division VI Facebook site: [facebook.com/LACoFD4](https://facebook.com/LACoFD4)

LACoFD Facebook: [facebook.com/LACoFD](https://facebook.com/LACoFD)

Twitter for your area: [twitter.com/LACOFDDIV4](https://twitter.com/LACOFDDIV4)

LACoFD Twitter: [twitter.com/LACo\\_FD](https://twitter.com/LACo_FD)

Instagram: [instagram.com/lacountyfd](https://instagram.com/lacountyfd)

LACoFD YouTube Channel:

[youtube.com/user/LosAngelesCountyFD](https://youtube.com/user/LosAngelesCountyFD)

### THERE'S A BETTER CHOICE.

#### SAFELY SURRENDER YOUR BABY.

Any fire station. Any Hospital. Any time.

To date, 140 safely surrendered babies have been saved due to this successful program.

No shame | No blame | No names

1.877.222.9723 [BabySafeLA.org](http://BabySafeLA.org)



## Join the Los Angeles County Fire Explorer Program

The Fire Department's Explorer Program is designed for young men and women ages 15 to 21 who are interested in learning about a career in the fire service. Post 8 serves the Whittier Unincorporated Area and meetings are held at Fire Station 28 located at 7733 Greenleaf Avenue in the City of Whittier. For more information contact Fire Fighter David Michel at (562) 698-7661.



## In the Event of an Emergency or Major Disaster

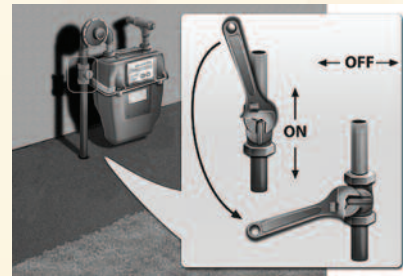
Do you know where your utility connections are and how to turn them off? The Fire Department encourages you to refer to the following websites for instructions on how to safely turn off your utilities. For information regarding El Niño, and response to potential impacts, see page 11 or log onto [www.lacounty.gov/elnino](http://www.lacounty.gov/elnino).

### Gas: Southern California Gas

[www.socalgas.com](http://www.socalgas.com)

(800) 427-2200

If you smell gas, do not light a match, candle or cigarette. Evacuate and don't turn on electrical appliances or turn lights on and off. Turn off your gas meter only if you smell gas or hear the hissing sound of gas escaping. Call the Gas Company immediately to request service. Only your utility company can safely turn the gas back on. If you have an emergency, call the Fire Department by dialing 911.



### Electricity: Southern California Edison

[www.sce.com](http://www.sce.com) • (800) 611-1911

If you and your neighbors don't have power, call Southern California Edison (SCE). Do not use candles for lighting during an outage because they can become a fire hazard. It is recommended that you use flashlights or battery-powered lanterns. If your home is the only one without power, it may be a "tripped" circuit breaker or a blown fuse. Refer to the SCE website for safety tips.

### Water:

See page 17 of the enclosed At-A-Glance Directory for a list of water providers that serve your area. Identify the main water valve to your home. In the event of a natural disaster, you may need to shut off the main valve to stop contaminated water from entering your home due to broken water or sewage lines. For additional information, visit the American Red Cross website at [www.redcross.org](http://www.redcross.org) and enter "Food and Water in an Emergency."

# Planning & Public Works

## Department of Regional Planning

[planning.lacounty.gov](http://planning.lacounty.gov) • (213) 974-6483

320 W. Temple Street, 13th Floor  
Los Angeles, CA 90012



### Preserve the Quality of Your Neighborhood

The Department of Regional Planning Zoning Enforcement Inspectors ensure the health, safety and welfare of residents living and working in the Unincorporated communities. The following list will help you recognize potential zoning violations and preserve property values and the quality of your neighborhood:

- Excessive yard sales
- Garage conversions/inaccessible garages
- Inoperable vehicles
- Occupied recreational vehicles
- Outdoor automobile repair
- Outdoor display and storage
- Storage and illegal dumping on vacant lots
- Storage of junk and salvage materials
- Unpermitted dwelling units
- Unpermitted structures built in setback areas

To report a zoning violation, please call or visit the Zoning Enforcement website at [planning.lacounty.gov/enforcement](http://planning.lacounty.gov/enforcement), or email them at [ZoningEnforcement@planning.lacounty.gov](mailto:ZoningEnforcement@planning.lacounty.gov). You may also visit the downtown Los Angeles public counter Monday through Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. The offices are closed on Fridays.

### Historic Preservation Incentives in LA County

Is your property a potential designated landmark? Are you interested in a financial incentive that can help you rehabilitate, restore and maintain your building? The County can help. The Mills Act Historical Property Contract Program allows qualifying owners to receive a potential property tax reduction and use the savings to help maintain their buildings. For more information visit [planning.lacounty.gov/preservation/program](http://planning.lacounty.gov/preservation/program) or contact (213) 974-6425.

### New Regulations in the Works for Yard Sales

[planning.lacounty.gov/yard](http://planning.lacounty.gov/yard)

The Board of Supervisors approved the Yard Sale Ordinance update for the Unincorporated communities of Los Angeles County. The updated Ordinance includes the following features:

- Establishes new standards for conducting yard sales from a residential property;
- Limits yard sales to the last Saturday and Sunday of each month (known as the designated weekend);
- Establishes a no-cost registration process to allow two additional yard sales on a non-designated weekend during the calendar year; and
- Streamlines procedures to enable more effective enforcement.

For more information contact Carmen Sainz at (213) 974-6425 or Jonathan Bell at (213) 974-6453.



Department of  
Public Works (DPW)  
[dpw.lacounty.gov](http://dpw.lacounty.gov)

### Stop Signs will be Enhanced With "Light Emitting Diodes"

DPW will install stop signs enhanced with light emitting diodes (LED's) at selected intersections. According to studies, the use of flashing LED stop signs resulted in an increase in the number of drivers coming to a complete stop at the stop sign. This year, the Board of Supervisors directed DPW to conduct pilot programs on the use and effectiveness of these devices. Two intersections were selected; Colima Road at Poulter Drive, and Mills Avenue at Lanning Drive. The LED stop signs, which are solar powered, are expected to be installed by February 2016. Public Works will collect traffic data for two years to determine the effectiveness of the devices.



## Department of Public Works - Road Projects

For more information call (626) 458-5926 • Monitor the status of road projects at [dpw.lacounty.gov/pdd/roadrehab/](http://dpw.lacounty.gov/pdd/roadrehab/)

Project	Location	Tentative Construction Date
Bridge Maintenance:	Leffingwell Road & Meyer Road over Coyote Creek North Fork, South Whittier.	Completed - Winter 2015
New Sidewalk Project:	East side along Workman Mill Rd - Rio Hondo College (College Drive) to Rose Hills Cemetery (driveway entrance), North Whittier.	Summer 2016
Traffic Light Upgrades:	Imperial Highway from Carmenita Road to Valley View Avenue, South Whittier.	Summer 2016

# Public Works - Local Transportation

	Los Nietos Middle School	Los Nietos Community Center	Whittier Manor	Shopping Center Norwalk Blvd
Regular Hours	2:35 3:05 3:35 4:05 4:35 5:05 5:35 6:05	2:40 3:10 3:40 4:10 4:40 5:10 5:40 6:10	2:45 3:15 3:45 4:15 4:45 5:15 5:45 6:15	2:48 3:18 3:48 4:18 4:48 5:18 5:48 6:18
Summer Hours	1:05 1:35 2:05 2:35 3:05 3:35 4:05 4:35	1:10 1:40 2:10 2:40 3:10 3:40 4:10 4:40	1:15 1:45 2:15 2:45 3:15 3:45 4:15 4:45	1:18 1:48 2:18 2:48 3:18 3:48 4:18 4:48

	Edwards Middle School	Sorensen Park	Shopping Center	Pioneer High School
Regular Hours	2:50 3:20 3:50 4:20 4:50 5:20 5:50 6:20	2:52 3:22 3:52 4:22 4:52 5:22 5:52 6:22	2:57 3:27 3:57 4:27 4:57 5:27 5:57 6:27	3:00 3:30 4:00 4:30 5:00 5:30 6:00 6:30
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For more information call  
(626) 458-3909

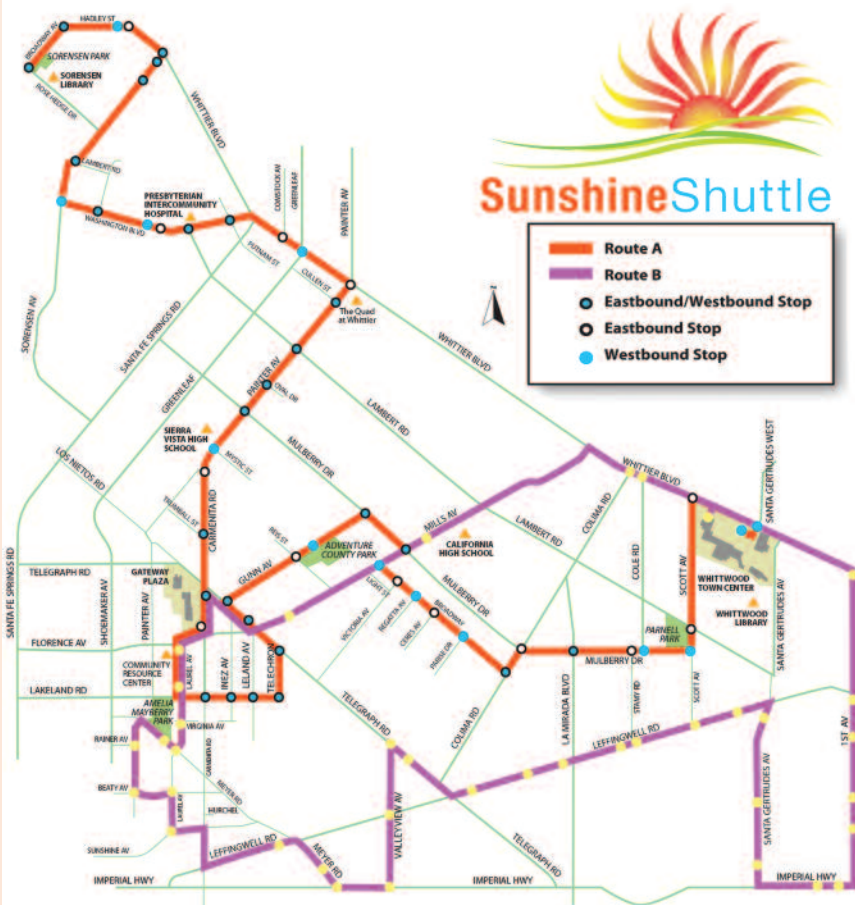
Regular Hours  
Monday - Friday / 2:35 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Summer Hours (June 8 - August 10, 2016)  
Monday - Friday / 1:05 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Fare: 25 cents per trip  
FREE for persons with disabilities, seniors (60 and older) and children (under 5)

Tarifa: 25 centavos por viaje  
GRATIS para personas discapacitadas, persona de la tercera edad (60 años en adelante) y niños (menores de 5 años)

Transit Information/Información de Transportación  
(626) 458-5960



Route A (Ruta A)	departure time (hora de salida) Eastbound (hacia el este)	departure time (hora de salida) Westbound (hacia el oeste)
Sorensen Park	:00	:50
Sorensen/Whittier	:05	:45
Painter/Cullen	:15	:40
Carmenita/Telegraph	:25	:30
Telechron/Lakeland	:40	:20
Colima/Broadway	:45	:10
Whittwood Town Center	:55	:00

Route B (Ruta B)	departure time (hora de salida) Clockwise
Whittwood Town Center	:45
1st Av/Leffingwell	:50
Santa Gertrudes/Mid Block	:55
Imperial Hwy/Valley View	:05
Sunshine/Carmenita	:10
Community Resource Center	:15
California High School	:20
Whittier Blvd/Colima	:25
Whittwood Town Center	:30

# At-A-Glance Directory / Directorio

**2-1-1 LA COUNTY INFORMATION** ..... 2-1-1  
(One stop to County resources and more)

**2-1-1 INFORMACIÓN SOBRE EL CONDADO DE LA**  
(Recursos del condado en un sólo lugar y mucho más) ..... 2-1-1

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS/CONSEJO DE SUPERVISORES** [bos.co.la.ca.us](http://bos.co.la.ca.us)

General Information/Información general ..... (213) 974-1411

Fourth District Field Office/Oficina del Cuarto Distrito .... (562) 807-7350

L.A. County Public Information ..... (213) 974-1311

Información pública del Condado de L.A.

**FREEWAY ROADSIDE NON-EMERGENCY SERVICE** ..... #3-9-9

Servicio para casos que no se tratan de emergencias en autopistas y caminos

**ABANDONED VEHICLES** ..... 2-1-1 or (213) 974-6483

**VEHÍCULOS ABANDONADOS**

[zoningenforcement@planning.lacounty.gov](mailto:zoningenforcement@planning.lacounty.gov)

**ABANDONED SHOPPING CARTS** ..... (800) 252-4613

**CARROS DE COMPRAS ABANDONADOS**

**ANIMAL CARE AND CONTROL** ..... (562) 940-6898

**CUIDADO Y CONTROL DE ANIMALES** [animalcare.lacounty.gov](http://animalcare.lacounty.gov)

**ARTS COMMISSION/COMISIÓN DE ARTES** ..... (213) 202-5858

[www.lacountyarts.org](http://www.lacountyarts.org)

**ASSESSOR/ASESOR** [assessor.lacounty.gov](http://assessor.lacounty.gov) ..... (888) 807-2111

East District Office/Oficina del distrito East ..... (626) 258-6001

**BEACHES AND HARBORS/** ..... (310) 305-9545

**PLAYAS Y PUERTOS**

**BUILDING PERMITS/PERMISOS DE CONSTRUCCIÓN**

[ladpw.org/bsd/permitinfo](http://ladpw.org/bsd/permitinfo)

Public Works - South Whittier Office ..... (562) 946-1390

Oficina de obras públicas de South Whittier

**BUSINESS LICENSE/LICENCIA COMERCIAL** ..... (213) 974-2011

[ttc.lacounty.gov/Proptax/Business\\_License.htm](http://ttc.lacounty.gov/Proptax/Business_License.htm)

**CHILDRENS SERVICES/SERVICIOS INFANTILES**

Child Care Hotline/CalWorks ..... (877) CHILD-99

Línea directa de atención infantil / CalWorks

Children's Protective Services ..... (800) 540-4000

Servicios de protección a menores

(Child Abuse Hotline – 24 hours / Línea directa de abuso infantil, las 24 horas)

Child/Spousal Support Services ..... (323) 890-9800

Servicio de manutención de hijos/cónyuges ..... [cssd.lacounty.gov](http://cssd.lacounty.gov)

Department of Children and Family Services ..... (562) 903-5000

(Adoption/Foster Care) /

Departamento de infancia y servicios de familia (adopción/guarda)

Emancipated Foster Youth Transitional Resources ..... (562) 906-3417

Recursos Transitorios para Jóvenes Emancipados de la Guarda

First5 LA - Preschool and Childcare ..... (213) 482-5902

First 5. Preescolar y cuidado de niños de L.A. .... [www.first5.org](http://www.first5.org)

Options Child Care Services ..... (626) 856-5900

Servicios de Opciones de Atención infantil ..... [lacdcs.org](http://lacdcs.org)

Safe Surrender Program ..... (877) BABYSAFE or (877) 222-9723

Programa de entrega segura ..... [www.babysafe.ca.gov](http://www.babysafe.ca.gov)

**CODE ENFORCEMENT/CUMPLIMIENTO DE LOS CÓDIGOS**

Department of Public Works (Building and Safety) ... (562) 946-1390

Departamento de obras públicas (Construcción y seguridad)

[ladpw.org/bsd](http://ladpw.org/bsd)

Regional Planning/Planificación regional ..... (213) 974-6483 or 2-1-1

[planning.lacounty.gov/enforcement](http://planning.lacounty.gov/enforcement)

**COMMUNITY AND SENIOR SERVICES/**

**SERVICIOS COMUNITARIOS PARA LOS ANCIANOS** [css.lacounty.gov](http://css.lacounty.gov)

Adult Protective Services ..... (213) 351-5401

Servicios de protección para adultos

Community Resource Center ..... (562) 946-2425

Centro de Recursos para la Comunidad

Elder Abuse Hotline ..... (877) 477-3646

Línea directa para el abuso de ancianos

Liberty Community Plaza ..... (562) 273-0700

Los Nietos Community and Senior Center ..... (562) 699-9898

Centro Comunitario de Los Nietos y Centro para los Ancianos

Neighbors Helping Neighbors Family Assistance Center ... (562) 941-0115

Centro de Asistencia familiar para Vecinos que Ayudan a Vecinos

Senior Abuse and Fraud Protection ..... (877) 477-3646

Servicios a personas ancianas y protección contra fraudes

Senior Citizens Information and Assistance ..... (800) 510-2020

Información y asistencia para ancianos

Toll Free / Gratuito ..... (800) 510-2020

Senior Meal Program Referrals ..... (800) 510-2020

Remisiones al programa de comidas para ancianos

Telacu-Villa Hermosa Senior Housing ..... (562) 777-9554

Viviendas para ancianos de Telacu-Villa Hermosa ..... [www.lacdc.org](http://www.lacdc.org)

**CONSUMER AND BUSINESS AFFAIRS/DEPARTAMENTO DE SERVICIOS**

**PARA CONSUMIDORES AND NEGOCIOS** ..... [dcba.lacounty.gov](http://dcba.lacounty.gov)

General information / Información general ..... (800) 593-8222

**COUNSELING SERVICES AND CRISIS INTERVENTION/**

**SERVICIOS DE CONSEJOS E INTERVENCIÓN EN CASO DE CRISIS**

Domestic Violence Hotline ..... (800) 978-3600

Línea directa de violencia doméstica

Helpline Youth Counseling ..... (562) 273-0722

Mental Health Information and Referral ..... (800) 854-7771

Información y remisiones de salud mental ..... [dmh.lacounty.gov](http://dmh.lacounty.gov)

SPIRITT Family Services/ ..... (562) 903-7000

Servicios SPIRITT para la familia ..... [www.spiritt.org](http://www.spiritt.org)

Women's and Children's Crisis Shelter ..... (562) 945-3937

Refugio para mujeres y niños en crisis

**EMPLOYMENT/EMPLEO**

County of L.A. 24-Hour Hotline ..... (800) 970-5478

Línea directa del Condado de Los Angeles las 24 horas ... [dhr.lacounty.info](http://dhr.lacounty.info)

SASSFA One-stop Career Center ..... (562) 946-2237

Centro de carreras "One-Stop Career Center" de la SASSFA

[www.sassfa.org](http://www.sassfa.org)

WorkSource / fuente de trabajo ..... (888) 226-6300

[www.worksourcecalifornia.com](http://www.worksourcecalifornia.com)

**ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH/SALUD AMBIENTAL**

[www.publichealth.lacounty.gov/eh](http://www.publichealth.lacounty.gov/eh)

General Information/Información general ..... (626) 430-5100

24-Hour Hotline/Línea directa las 24 horas ..... (888) 700-9995

Farmers Markets/Mercados agrícolas ..... (888) 700-9995

Food Vending Complaints/Quejas por venta de comida ... (626) 430-5160

Housing Complaints/Quejas habitacionales ..... (888) 700-9995

Insect/Vector Control (rats, mice) ..... (626) 430-5450

Control de insectos / vectores (ratas, ratones)

Retail Food Inspection (restaurants) ..... (888) 700-9995

Inspección de venta de comida al por menor (restaurantes)

**FIRE DEPARTMENT (EMERGENCIAS)** ..... 9-1-1

**DEPARTAMENTO DE BOMBEROS (EMERGENCIAS)** [fire.lacounty.gov](http://fire.lacounty.gov)

Fire Station 15/Estación de bomberos 15 ..... (562) 943-4537

Fire Station 96/Estación de bomberos 96 ..... (562) 941-8604

Public Information/Información pública ..... (323) 881-2472

**GRAFFITI REMOVAL HOTLINE** ..... (800) 675-4357

**LÍNEA DIRECTA PARA LA ELIMINACIÓN DE GRAFFITIS**

[ladpw.org/go/graffiti](http://ladpw.org/go/graffiti) or "The Works" [dpw.lacounty.gov/theworks](http://dpw.lacounty.gov/theworks)

**HEALTH RESOURCES/CENTERS/HOSPITALS**

**RECURSOS DE SALUD / CENTROS / HOSPITALS**

[www.ladhs.org](http://www.ladhs.org)

Bellflower Health Center ..... (562) 804-8112

LAC/USC Medical Center ..... (323) 226-2622

Presbyterian Intercommunity Hospital ..... (562) 698-0811

Rio Hondo AIDS Project/Proyecto de SIDA de Rio Hondo ... (562) 698-3850

Roybal Comprehensive Health Center ..... (323) 980-2731

Whittier Health Center ..... (562) 464-5350

Whittier Hospital Medical Center ..... (562) 945-3561

Womens Health Hotline ..... (800) 793-8090

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## HOMELESS SERVICES/SERVICIOS PARA PERSONAS SIN HOGAR

[www.lahsa.org](http://www.lahsa.org)

Emergency Shelter Hotline ..... (800) 548-6047

*Línea directa para refugios de emergencia*

Shelter Partnership/Sociedad de refugios ..... (213) 688-2188

## HOUSING/HOMEOWNER PROGRAM

[www.lacdc.org](http://www.lacdc.org)

### PROGRAMAS DE VIVIENDAS/PARA PROPIETARIOS

Homeownership Program/Programa para propietarios ..... (626) 586-1838

Housing Authority/Autoridad de viviendas ..... (626) 262-4510

Housing Rights Center/Centro de derechos de viviendas ..... (800) 477-5977

## JUROR SERVICES/SERVICIOS DE JURADOS

[www.lasuperiorcourt.org/jury](http://www.lasuperiorcourt.org/jury)

## LIBRARIES/BIBLIOTECA

[www.colapublib.org](http://www.colapublib.org)

General Information/Información general ..... (562) 940-8462

Los Nietos Library/Biblioteca de Los Nietos ..... (562) 695-0708

Sorensen Library/Biblioteca de Sorenson ..... (562) 695-3979

South Whittier Library/Biblioteca de South Whittier ..... (562) 946-4415

## MILITARY AND VETERANS AFFAIRS/

ASUNTOS MILITARES Y DE VETERANOS ..... (213) 765-9224

[mva.lacounty.gov](http://mva.lacounty.gov)

## NUTRITION SERVICES/SERVICIOS DE NUTRICIÓN

Adventure Park Senior Lunch Program ..... (562) 698-7645

Emergency Food Assistance ..... (562) 699-9898

Los Nietos Community and Senior Center ..... (562) 699-9898

Mayberry Park Summer Lunch Program ..... (562) 944-7727

*Programa de almuerzos de verano del Mayberry Park*

Mayberry Park Senior Lunch Program ..... (562) 944-7745

*Programa de almuerzos para ancianos del Mayberry Park*

SASSFA (Meals on Wheels) [www.sassfa.org](http://www.sassfa.org) ..... (562) 699-3231

## PARKS AND RECREATION/PARQUES Y RECREACIÓN

[parks.lacounty.gov](http://parks.lacounty.gov)

County Parks and General Information ..... (213) 738-2961

*Parques del condado e información general*

Adventure Park ..... (562) 698-7645

Amigo Park ..... (562) 908-4702

Amigo de los Rios [www.amigodelosrios.org](http://www.amigodelosrios.org) ..... (626) 791-1611

Cerritos Regional Park ..... (562) 924-5144

La Mirada Regional Park ..... (562) 902-5645

Mayberry Park ..... (562) 944-9727

Pio Pico State Historic Park ..... (562) 695-1217

*Parque histórico estatal Pio Pico*

Puente Hills Native Habitat Authority ..... (562) 945-9003

*Autoridad de hábitato nativo y vertedero de Puente Hills*

[www.habitatauthority.org](http://www.habitatauthority.org)

Youth Activity League/Liga para Actividades Juveniles

Norwalk Station ..... (562) 941-6901

Pico Rivera Station ..... (562) 949-2421

Santa Fe Dam Regional Park ..... (626) 334-1065

Sorensen Park ..... (562) 908-7763

Schabarum Regional Park ..... (626) 854-5560

Whittier Narrows Nature Center ..... (626) 575-5523

Whittier Narrows Regional Park ..... (626) 575-5526

## PUBLIC SAFETY/SEGURIDAD PÚBLICA

CHP (Santa Fe Springs Station) ..... (562) 868-0503

*CHP (Estación de Santa Fe Springs)*

CHP Non-emergency Inquiries ..... 1-800-Tell CHP

*Consultas al CHP que no se tratan de emergencias*

Norwalk Station/Estación de Norwalk [lasd.org](http://lasd.org) ..... (562) 863-8711

Pico Rivera Station/Estación de Pico Rivera [lasd.org](http://lasd.org) ..... (562) 949-2421

Whittier County Sub-station (Norwalk Station) ..... (562) 903-1874

*Subestación del condado de Whittier (Estación de Norwalk)*

## PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS/ESCUELAS PÚBLICAS

East Whittier City School District ..... (562) 907-5900

[www.ewcsd.k12.ca.us](http://www.ewcsd.k12.ca.us)

Los Nietos School District ..... (562) 692-0271

[www.losnietos.k12.ca.us](http://www.losnietos.k12.ca.us)

Lowell Joint School District [www.ljsd.org](http://www.ljsd.org) ..... (562) 943-0211

Whittier City School District ..... (562) 789-3000

[www.whittiercity.k12.ca.us](http://www.whittiercity.k12.ca.us)

Whittier Union High School District ..... (562) 698-8121

[www.wuhisd.k12.ca.us](http://www.wuhisd.k12.ca.us)

South Whittier School District ..... (562) 944-6231

[www.swhittier.k12.ca.us](http://www.swhittier.k12.ca.us)

## PUBLIC SOCIAL SERVICES (DPSS)/SERVICIOS SOCIALES PÚBLICOS

[dpss.lacounty.gov](http://dpss.lacounty.gov)

DPSS General Information/DPSS información general ..... (866) 613-3777

Public Assistance ..... 2-1-1

LA County Helps! [lacountyhelps.org](http://lacountyhelps.org)

## REGISTRAR-RECORDER / COUNTY CLERK

[www.lavote.net](http://www.lavote.net)

### REGISTRO / SECRETARIO DEL CONDADO

Birth/Death Certificates/Marriage License ..... (800) 201-8999

*Certificados de nacimiento / defunción / Licencias matrimoniales*

Voter Information/Información de votantes ..... (800) 481-VOTE

## ROAD MAINTENANCE-PUBLIC WORKS

[www.ladpw.org](http://www.ladpw.org)

### MANTENIMIENTO DE CAMINOS

24-hour Emergency Hotline ..... (800) 675-4357

*Línea directa para emergencias las 24 horas*

Public Works General Information ..... (626) 458-5100

*Obras públicas, número de información general*

Flood Maintenance/Mantenimiento de inundaciones ..... (562) 861-0316

General Road Concerns ..... (800) 675-4357

*Inquietudes generales sobre caminos*

Graffiti Hotline/Línea directa para graffitis ..... (800) 675-4357

Inoperable Street Lights (Edison) ..... (800) 611-1911

*Luces de la calle que no funcionan (Edison)*

Inoperable Traffic Signals ..... (626) 458-1722

*Señales de tránsito que no funcionan*

Road Maintenance/Mantenimiento de caminos ..... (562) 869-1176

Sewer Maintenance/Mantenimiento de alcantarillas ..... (626) 300-3308

Traffic Control Device requests ..... (626) 300-4708

*Solicitudes de dispositivos para el control de tránsito*

## TRANSPORTATION/TRANSPORTE

Access Services/Servicios ACCESS [www.asila.org](http://www.asila.org) ..... (800) 827-0829

LA County Dial-A-Ride/ ..... (800) 439-0439

*Dial-A-Ride del Condado de LA*

Los Nietos Shuttle/Transporte Los Nietos Shuttle ..... (626) 458-3909

Metro Information/Información sobre el Metro ..... (213) 626-4455

[metro.net](http://metro.net)

Metro Discount Bus Pass ..... (626) 458-5960

*Pase de descuento para el autobús Metro*

South Whittier Shuttle / (Sunshine Shuttle) ..... (626) 458-5960

*Transporte South Whittier Shuttle*

## TRASH/WASTE HAULER / TRANSPORTISTA DE BASURA/RESIDUOS

Burrtec (East and South Whittier) ..... (800) 325-9417

Christmas Tree Recycling Information ..... (888) 253-2652

*Información sobre el reciclado de árboles de Navidad*

Public Works - Franchise Hotline ..... (800) 993-5844

*Línea directa de obras públicas - franquicias*

Recycling/Household Round-ups ..... (800) CLEANLA

*Reciclado / recolección residencial*

Universal Waste Systems (West Whittier) ..... (562) 941-4900

## UTILITIES/SERVICIOS PÚBLICOS

Gas Company [www.socalgas.com](http://www.socalgas.com) ..... (800) 427-2200

Southern California Edison [www.sce.com](http://www.sce.com) ..... (800) 655-4555

## WATER COMPANIES/COMPAÑÍAS DE AGUA

Golden State Water Company [www.aswater.com](http://www.aswater.com) ..... (562) 864-8214

Orchard Dale Water District [www.odwd.org](http://www.odwd.org) ..... (562) 941-0114

Upper San Gabriel Valley Municipal Water District ..... (562) 699-1041

[www.usgvmwd.org](http://www.usgvmwd.org)

Suburban Water District ..... (562) 944-8219

[www.suburbanwatersystems.com](http://www.suburbanwatersystems.com)

# Whittier Unincorporated Area Map / Mapa del área no incorporado de Whittier

## COUNTY FACILITY LISTING / LISTADO DE INSTALACIONES DEL CONDADO

### PARKS / PARQUES

1. **Adventure Park**  
10130 S. Gunn Ave.  
Whittier, CA 90605  
(562) 698-7645
2. **Amigo Park**  
5700 S. Juarez Ave.  
Whittier, CA 90606  
(562) 908-4702
3. **Mayberry Park**  
13201 E. Meyer Rd.  
Whittier, CA 90605  
(562) 944-9727
4. **Sorensen Park**  
11419 Rose Hedge Dr.  
Whittier, CA 90606  
(562) 908-7763

### COMMUNITY CENTER / CENTROS COMUNITARIOS

5. **Los Nietos Community and Senior Center**  
11640 E. Slauson Ave.  
Whittier, CA 90606  
(562) 699-9898
6. **Community Resource Center**  
10750 Laurel Ave.  
Whittier, CA 90605  
(562) 946-2425
7. **Liberty Community Plaza**  
14181 Telegraph Rd.  
Whittier, CA 90604  
(562) 273-0700

### LIBRARIES / BIBLIOTECAS

8. **Los Nietos Library**  
11644 E. Slauson Ave.  
Whittier, CA 90606  
(562) 695-0708
9. **Sorensen Library**  
11405 E. Rose Hedge Dr.  
Whittier, CA 90606  
(562) 695-3979
10. **South Whittier Library**  
14433 Leffingwell Rd.  
Whittier, CA 90604  
(562) 946-4415  
\* New location coming in Fall 2016. See page 9.

### HEALTH CENTERS / CENTROS DE SALUD

11. **Whittier Health Center**  
7643 S. Painter Ave.  
Whittier, CA 90602  
(562) 464-5350

### PUBLIC SAFETY / SEGURIDAD PÚBLICA

12. **Norwalk Station**  
12335 Civic Center Dr.  
Norwalk, CA 90650  
(562) 863-8711
13. **Pico Rivera Station**  
6631 S. Passons Blvd.  
Pico Rivera, CA 90660  
(562) 949-2421
14. **STAR Center**  
11515 S. Colima Rd.  
Whittier, CA 90604  
(562) 946-7895
15. **Whittier County Substation**  
13525 Telegraph Rd. Suite B  
Whittier, CA 90604  
(562) 903-1874
16. **Fire Station 15**  
11460 Santa Gertrudes Ave.  
Whittier, CA 90604  
(562) 943-4537
17. **Fire Station 17**  
12006 Hadley St.  
Whittier, CA 90601  
(562) 698-8455
18. **Fire Station 28**  
(Battalion Headquarters)  
7733 Greenleaf Ave.  
Whittier, CA 90602  
(562) 698-6009
19. **Fire Station 40**  
4864 S. Durfee Ave.  
Pico Rivera, CA 90660  
(562) 699-3268
20. **Fire Station 59**  
10021 Scott Ave.  
Whittier, CA 90603  
(562) 698-7333
21. **Fire Station 96**  
10630 S. Mills Ave.  
Whittier, CA 90604  
(562) 941-8604
22. **Fire Station 25**  
9209 E. Slauson Blvd.  
Pico Rivera, CA 90660  
(562) 949-4840



### Your Opinion is Important!

Let us know what you think about the Community Connection. Fill out an online survey at [www.lacounty.gov](http://www.lacounty.gov). Click on "Residents," then "Unincorporated Area" to access the survey or email your comments to [uas@ceo.lacounty.gov](mailto:uas@ceo.lacounty.gov). Thank you!

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